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THE SEPARATION OF THE
FLUORESCENT YIELD AND THE
TOTAL ELECTRON YIELD IN EXENDED
X-RAY ABSORPTION FINE STRUCTURE
MEASUREMENTS"

ASSERTION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS

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Sir:

The applicant of the above-identified application is entitled to small entity status.

Respectfully submitted,



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